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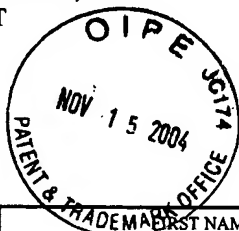
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TITLE OF INVENTION: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR USE IN DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT FOR CONVERTING DATA FORMAT BETWEEN PROGRAM LANGUAGE-SPECIFIC FORMAT USED IN RESPECTIVE COMPUTERS AND STREAM FORMAT USED FOR COMMUNICATION AMONG COMPUTERS

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